

Hudson River Valley National Heritage Area

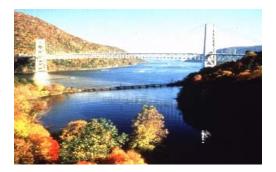
New York

Authorized November 12, 1996

Years since Designation

1996 2002

Management Entity jointly managed by Hudson River Valley Greenway Communities Council (a NY State Agency) and Greenway Conservancy for Husdson River Valley, Inc. (a public benefit corporation with a non-profit corporation affiliate)



Management Plan Status approved

Square Mileage of Counties in Heritage Area 7,063

2000 Census Data

Data	2000 Census	Percent Change from 1990
Total Population	3,010,805	+5.9
Persons under 18 Years, Percent	25.0	+3.6
Persons 25-44 Years, Percent	29.3	-9.8
Persons Over 65 Years, Percent	13.3	+2.6
White Alone, Percent	83.5	-8.4
Hispanic Origin, Percent	6.1	+62
Black or African American, Percent	7.0	
Median Household Income (2000 \$)	55,301	+9.3
Percent Unemployed	3.2	-34.9
Percent Below Poverty Level	9.7	+25.2

Profile

From Troy to New York City, Hudson River Valley contains a rich assemblage of natural features and nationally significant cultural and historical sites. The valley has maintained the scenic, rural character that inspired the Hudson Valley School of landscape painting and Knickerbocker writers. Recreational opportunities are found in local parks, protected open space, and greenways.

Resources Profile

Number of National Register Properties	878
Number of National Historic Landmarks	66
National Natural Landmarks	8
National Park Units	0

Congressional Districts 7

Local Government Units 776

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